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SUB-TYPE: REF-Refund

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CASE #(s): C-570-017

EFFECTIVE DATE: 09/02/2014 COURT CASE #:

PERIOD OF REVIEW: TO

PERIOD COVERED: 09/02/2014 TO 12/29/2014

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Notice of Lifting of Suspension Date:

TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

FROM: { Director AD/CVD & Revenue Policy & Programs }

RE: Refund of CVD cash deposit for certain passenger vehicle and light truck tires from the PRC pursuant to the amended preliminary determination for the period 09/02/2014 - 12/29/2014 (C-570-017)

- 1. On 12/30/2014 (79 FR 78398), Commerce published in the Federal Register its amended preliminary determination in the countervailing duty investigation of certain passenger vehicle and light truck tires from the People's Republic of China. See message 4365301, dated 12/31/2014.
- 2. Title 19 U.S.C. 1520(a)(4) authorizes refunds prior to liquidation whenever an importer of record declares or it is ascertained that excess duties, fees, charges, or exactions have been deposited or paid. In accordance with 19 U.S.C. 1520(a)(4), CBP is authorized to grant a refund, if requested by the importer, of cash deposits for entries of certain passenger vehicle and light truck tires from the People's Republic of China from the entities listed in paragraph 4 below which were entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption during the periods stated in paragraph 4 below. The periods differ by company depending upon whether or not Commerce made an affirmative preliminary finding of critical circumstances for that company
- 3. The refund amount will be calculated by determining the difference between the amount of cash deposits paid as a result of the application of the preliminary determination rate and the amount due as a result of the application of the amended preliminary determination rate.
- 4. Listed below are the deposit rates that were assigned to certain firms in the preliminary determination. In addition, listed below are the amended deposit rates assigned in the amended preliminary determination (See message 4365301, dated 12/31/2014):

All Others Case number: C-570-017-000 Preliminary determination rate: 15.69%

Amended preliminary determination rate: 12.03%

Period Covered: 09/02/2014 - 12/29/2014

Producer and/or Exporter: GITI Tire (Fujian) Co., Ltd

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Preliminary determination rate: 17.69%

Amended preliminary determination rate: 11.74%

Period Covered: 12/01/2014 - 12/29/2014

Note: This rate also applies to the following companies: GITI Tire (China) Investment Company Ltd., GITI Radial Tire (Anhui) Company Ltd., GITI Tire (Hualin) Company Ltd., GITI Steel Cord (Hubei) Company Ltd., and Anhui Prime Cord Fabrics Company Ltd.

- 5. Do not liquidate entries of certain passenger vehicle and light truck tires from the People's Republic of China produced and/or exported by the entities listed in paragraph 4 above until specific liquidation instructions are issued.
- 6. The interest provisions of section 778 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, do not apply.
- 7. If there are any questions by the importing public regarding this message, please contact the Call Center for the Office of AD/CVD Operations, Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce at (202) 482-0984. CBP ports should submit their inquiries through authorized CBP channels only. (This message was generated by O#VII:EH.)
- 8. There are no restrictions on release of this information.

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## **Company Details**

\*Party Indicator Value:

I = Importer, M = Manufacturer, E = Exporter, S = Sold To Party

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